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TOM FORESE – Chairman
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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF
ARIZONA PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY FOR A
RULING RELATING TO ITS 2016 DEMAND SIDE
MANAGEMENT IMPLEMENTATION PLAN.

DOCKET NO. E-01345A-15-0182

DECISION NO. 76062

ORDER EXTENDING TIME
DEADLINES ORDERED BY
DECISION NOS. 75864 AND 75865

Open Meeting
April 5 and 6, 2017
Phoenix, Arizona

BY THE COMMISSION:

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Having considered the entire record herein and being fully advised in the premises, the Commission finds, concludes, and orders that:

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. On June 1, 2015, Arizona Public Service Company (“APS”) filed with the Arizona Corporation Commission (“Commission”) its Application for Demand Side Management (“DSM”) Plan for 2016 (“2016 DSM Plan”) in accordance with A.A.C. R14-2-2405.

2. On August 5, 2016, the Commission issued Decision No. 75679, approving APS’s 2016 DSM Plan, and among other things, ordering the Commission’s Utilities Division (“Staff”) to convene a DSM Cost Effectiveness Workshop to include APS and interested stakeholders. Decision No. 75679 ordered that the workshop address several technical issues related to DSM, and that Staff report back to the Commission by December 5, 2016, regarding an update of the Commission’s cost-effectiveness analysis methodology.

3. On November 29, 2016, Staff held the DSM Cost Effectiveness Workshop, at which APS and other stakeholders made presentations.

4. On January 3, 2017, Decision No. 75864 was issued extending the filing deadline for the Staff Report from December 5, 2016 to March 6, 2017, to allow Staff time to consider the presentations made at the November 29, 2016 DSM Cost Effectiveness Workshop, and comments due December 16, 2016, prior to preparing the Staff Report.

5. Also on January 3, 2017, Decision No. 75865 was issued extending the filing deadline for APS to file its proposal for a new demand response and load management program from December 5, 2017, to March 6, 2017.

6. On March 6, 2017, Staff filed a Request for Extension of Filing Date. Staff stated that the due date for a similar Staff Report, in Docket No. G-01551A-15-0168 (Southwest Gas Company's Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy Resource Technology Portfolio), is now due March 31, 2017. Due to the similarity of the material and analysis to be performed, Staff requests a similar extension of time in this docket. Staff stated that it is not opposed to a similar extension of the March 6, 2017 deadline for APS's filing.

7. No objections were received.

8. Staff's request for an extension of the filing deadline is reasonable under the circumstances, and will provide for a more thorough and complete analysis. The deadline for the APS filing should also be extended.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. APS is a public service corporation within the meaning of Article XV of the Arizona constitution.

2. The Commission has jurisdiction over APS and over the subject matter of Staff's request.

3. It is reasonable and in the public interest to extend the filing deadlines set by Decision Nos. 75864 and 75865.

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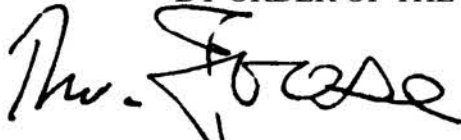
ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the March 6, 2016 deadline contained in Decision No. 75864 for Staff to file its report in this matter regarding updating the Commission's demand side management cost-effectiveness analysis methodology is hereby extended to April 17, 2017.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the March 6, 2016 deadline contained in Decision No. 75865 for APS to file its proposal for a new demand response and load management program is hereby extended to March 31, 2017.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this Decision shall become effective immediately.

BY ORDER OF THE ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION.



CHAIRMAN FORESE



COMMISSIONER DUNN



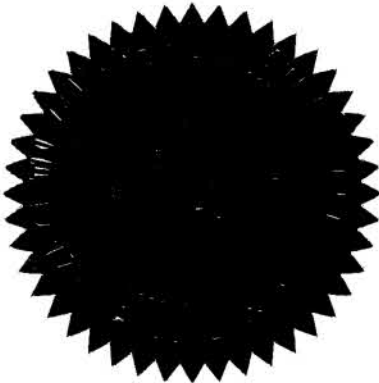
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COMMISSIONER LITTLE



COMMISSIONER BURNS



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, TED VOGT, Executive Director of the Arizona Corporation Commission, have hereunto set my hand and caused the official seal of the Commission to be affixed at the Capitol, in the City of Phoenix, this 11th day of April 2017.

TED VOGT
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

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